For this section-Thunder show ers and cooler this afternoon or tonight: tomorrow fair.

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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1918.

PRICE ONE CENT

## GRAND TOTAL OF \$9,309,49 FOR THE RED CROSS

Splendid Efforts Being Put Forth by the Committees of Ladies and Gentlemen to Secure Alexandria's Apportionment by Saturday Night-Amount Received Since Yesterday is \$2,011.94.

"I want to compliment the gentlemen of the committees who are putting in such excellent work for the Red Cross," said Chairman Carroll Pierce at the noon meeting of the committee at the Westminster building today. Continuing he said: "I thought the committee which assisted in soliciting for

the Chamber of Commerce was a good one, but you gentlemen have got 'em beat, and I certainly appreciate your splendid efforts." At the meeting of the committee held at noon the sum collected since yesterday was stated to be \$2,011.94, and the grand total for the campaign

thus far is \$9,309.49. The amount obtained by the ladies who have been soliciting on the streets and elsewhere since yesterday is \$732.04, which is included in the former driver having resigned. In- Camp Lee, Va., of Mrs. Agnes B. total figures given above. They are entitled to much credit for the efforts they are making as well as the men.

As another illustration of excellent work done by ladies may be cited the sum of \$114.50 turned in by the Messineo, P. M. Bradshaw, L. Rosen-Red Cross auxiliary of the Methodist feld, P. O. Cockey, Graham & Ogden, B. Abramson, Thomas Hoy, Sanitary Church South.

It is expected that the Jefferson Cigar Co., Elliot's Five and Ten-Cent branch at Del Ray will raise \$500 be- Store, R. C. Acton, A. D. Grimes, fore the campaign ends. They have Rexall Store, Eleanor H. Watkin, J. already obtained between \$200 and A. Cogan, J. Blankin, Charlie Lee,

· Included in today's receipts was \$60 | Constantinople, Cameron Lunch, Alexsent by a lady in Washington, who andria Shoe Parlor, Tony's Shoe Shop, wrote a letter to the committee stat- H. J. Baker, Miss Annie Hurdle, J. ing that she had noted the splendid Shaprio, James Haywood, Pool Room, effort being made by Alexandrians 718 King street; Tom Rhecche, Richappreciated.

Today and for the remainder of the J. T. Sweeney, J. B. Waters, M. R. week young ladies will solicit on the cars of the Washington-Virginia trol- Gaines, C. J. W. Summers, P. E. ley line between Union Station and Igo, J. P. Wells, C. W. Fletcher, R. E. Royal street. They began their trips Knight & Son, M. Ruben & Son, Weil late yesterday afternoon and got Bros., E. Warfield, Jr., J. H. Mansabout \$18 up to last night. Superin- field, M. Bennett, John M. Reed, H. tendent Cliff permits them to ride Bloch, Saunders & Son, E. L. Allen & on the trains free of charge in order Co., S. Devers, J. A. Dienelt, Miss to help in the good cause.

The committees engaged in solicit- Lunch, J. Johnston, Leachman & ing funds for the Red Cross met at Saum, F. J. Pollard, Sam Fagelson, L. merce this morning at the usual hour Howard, Heon Constantinople, C. E. and after a brief conference started Williams, M. Berman, Ramer Lunch, out for the day's work. Each com- B. C. Hall, W. Recker, Frank Michelmittee was given a supply of cards, bach, Hinken & Son, rf. C. Smith,

by the committee and do not get cards J. J. Henratty, M. S. Fairfax, Maury call for them at the Chamber of Com-

Roll of Honor.

The following list of names are menfeld A. Katz, J. Rose, A. Harris, those persons who have contributed J. Bernheimer, Whitestone & Clark, to the Red Cross campaign. The list J. Brill, R. L. Carne, Parker Bros., will be continued tomorrow:

·Leadbeater Corporation, James tryke.

PASSED THE NAVAL BILL

#### Senate Acts in Record-Breaking Time on Great Measure.

In record-breaking time of four hours, the Senate yesterday passed without a roll call the naval appropriation bill, carrying \$1,610,000,000. The measure, increased about \$226,-000,000 over the House authorization, now goes to conference.

The Senate retained the increases proposed by the naval committee for new projects and extension at navy yards and station, and, in addition, provided, at the request of the Navy ployed on the Smith farm, who is said Department, 12.000,000 more for ship to have quarreled with Smith about batteries and \$11,000,000 more for an account. After the attack on the

ammunition. strength of the navy from 87,000 to in Brooks, the adjoining county, be-131,000 men and the temporary in- gan a hunt for the negroes and four crease to 181,000 men was approved without objection.

### Notice.

examination of the returns to the Commissioner of the the Local Board of Review, shows that 40 per cent of the business and professional men of this city, requiring a state license have not up to this time, complied with the law. In view of this it was resolved by the local board that unless the necessary reports are filed and proper license secured by Monday, the 27th will be invoked to inforce the law. E. E. Lawler,

Chairman, Local Board of Review. 123-4t

Notice.

I will be a candidate for election to the Board of Aldermen from the

A. Sidney Mankin.

the rooms of the Chamber of Com- Rosenblot, Capital Junk Co., J. R. Bumgarten, A. Brokerwitz, Frank

Alexandria Cash Grocery Co., James

Ashton, J. E. Purcell, T. J. Fannon,

O'Sullivan, D. G. Grillbortzer, W. L.

R. Henly, Sheads & Partlow Quick

one of which they were asked to Samuel B. Ross, C. M. Newton, E. R. place in the window of each store. The Dunn & Co., Kramer Floral Co., card bore a statement to the effect Charles A. Dean, John D. Matter, that the store in which it was posted Mrs. James Quayle, David Robey, J. would give 5 per cent of its business Ernest Hamilton, F. L. Entwistle, A on Saturday of this week to the Red Mendelson, William H. Helms, Morris Merchants who may be overlooked Warfield, C. F. Johnson, G. T. Finnell, to post in their stores are asked to Gaines, Downham & Ridgely, L. Levinson, A. Cohen, Mrs. Bradley, S. F. Dyson & Bro., H. Friedlander, Heon & Constantinople, Kaufman & Blu-

American Lunch and Jones & Ays.

## NEGRO SHOT DEAD

#### Another Taken From Jail by Mob After Georgia Woman's Murder.

Valdosta, Ga., May 23 .- Sidney Johnson, alleged murderer of Hampton Smith, farmer, of Brooks county was shot to death in a battle with police and sheriff's deputies on the outskirts of Valdosta late last night. Three men were wounded, including

Chief of Police Dampier. The plot to murder Smith is alleged to have been hatched at the home of Hayes Turner, a negro, formerly em-Smitts, during which Mrs. Smith Permanent increase of the enlisted was wounded by a shot, citizen posses

> Cordele, Ga., May 23,-A mob of about 400 men stormed the Crisp county jail here late last night, seized Jim Cobb, a negro, and started to the place where Mrs. A. L. Simmons, a farmer's wife, was murdered, about eight miles from here. Cobb was under arrest, the authorities said, on suspicion that he had murdered the

were lynched.

woman.

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## Masonic Notice.

andria Washington Lodge No. 22 A. lie and particularly former customers, have for sale the balance of the week of this month, more drastic measures F. & A. M., will be held in the temple are notified that the best quality of all this Thursday evening, May 23, at 8 kinds of meat and meat products will Herring. o'clock. At this communication we be handled and sold, and their patronwill dedicate our service flag with ap- age is respectfully solicited. propriate exercises. See further announcement. We will also confer the Master Mason degree. All sojourning brethren in good standing are cordially invited to this and subsequent meetings. Especially do we wish to see Fourth Ward at the election June 11, goodly numbers of brethren in uniform at all our meetings.

Taite, who died two years ago today, 1918. Accounts may be paid at 1005 May 23, 1916. Gone, but never for-King street. at all our meetings. Claude W. Fletcher,

Worshipful Master.

gotten.

# Alexandria City and Suburbs

Mr. G. G. Wolt, who has been maninterest in the firm and is now em- McClellan. ployed by the government.

listed in the hospital corps of the United States Navy, left Tuesday dropped dead on Tuesday, near Acconight for Norfolk, Va.

Chief Ogden, of the fire departmen, last night announced that the Relief Hock and Ladder truck is out of service owing to the fact that the matters may be arranged to prevent Vernon district, Fairfax county .. them from so doing.

to raise their quota and wanted to ard Gibson, Thomas Eddy, Ben Ezrine, cent date. Any one cesirous of as- them. help. Her contribution was deeply W. J. Bowie, Hugo Herfurth, H. D. sisting in this movement can leave their contributions at the enlisted

> The Richmond Times-Dispatch of yesterday has a long account of the marriage last week in Madison, Ind., of Miss Helen Jane Leland, daughter of Mrs., Jessie Leland, formerly of Richmond, and granddaughter of Mayor James White, of Madison, to Mr. George L. Appich, of Washington, formerly of Alexandria. The best man was Mr. Carl Appich, of Richmond. Mr. Appich is the son of Mrs. Anna Appich and the late George Appich, and a brother of Mrs. Louis Bohraus and Mrs. William F White, of Alexandria.

### SCARED BY MOVING LIGHT

#### German U-Boat Commander Finally Surrendered.

One German submarine commander surrendered his vessel to a British destroyer in the Mediterranean merely because he was pursued by a lightship, asserts a Britism official eye- President Wilson's. witness, writing from Italy.

"The U-boat had just torpedoed : merchantman," he writes. "Sighting a British destroyer coming up at full speed, the German made off as fast the bearings from a lightship before submerging. Depth charges dropped by the destroyer exploded in unwere lucky, and after a time they captain, however, held on submerged on the same course for some time. Then he came up again, hoping to

bearings from the lightship, he sub- these terms. merged with all speed and set out more the German came up to see toration of Russia. where he was, and again he found the accumulators, he surrendered, con-

vinced that there was magic in it. been in full swing for some days. "Only then did he learn the truth.

### Notice.

the late Julian F. Chauncey will be hereafter carried on under the name The stated communication of Alex- of Mrs. Julian F. Chauncey. The pub-

> HELENA C. CHAUNCEY. 104-30t

In Memoriam In loving memory of Mrs. Lucinda

A Friend.

Private J. A. Williams, who was ager of the Dunbar Floral Company called home on account of the illness for several years past, has sold his of his mother, has returned to Camp

Henry S. Carver, aged 40 years, su-Cornelius J. Hill, son of Mr. and perintendent of teams engaged in the Mrs. Frank M. Hill, who recently en- construction of the Mount Vernon and Camp Humphreys Railway, tink. The body was brought to Demaine's chapel in this city and forwarded to his former home in Raleigh, N. C.

A telegram was received here this company has no man to drive it, the morning announcing the arrival at creased salaries offered the men in Williams, of Les Angeles, Cal., and other lines of business are said to be Mrs. William H. Henning, of Sharon, making several other members of the Pa. They were called to Camp Lee fire department think seriously of by the serious illness of their brother, giving up their positions .. It is hoped Private George H. Bayliss, of Mount

The Women's Auxiliary to R. E. Lee The Alexandria War Camp Com- Camp of Confederate Veterans remunity Service is making efforts to quest that all persons who will kindstart a library at the enlisted men's ly contribute flowers for Confederate club on the corner of Prince and Royal Decoration Day services tomorrow streets. Miss Rose MacDonald has May 24, will please send them to Lee been appointed chairman of the li- Camp Hall tomorrow morning bebrary committee and will take charge | tween 9 and 10 o'clock, and a comof any books or magazines contribut- mittee of ladies from the Confederate ed. All magazines should be of re- organizations will be there to receive

> The "sylvan theatre" last year on the monument grounds in Washingis undoubted, and the Greek play to under the auspices of Mount Vernon work under the direction of the enroll with them for home fire ser Daughters of the Revolution.

### ITALY'S PEACE TERMS

#### Replies to Austria's Renewed Suggestion of Separate Pact.

Washington, May 23 .- Italy's an-The Italian peace terms as stated in an authoritative Italian quarter here yesterday are:

Restoration of Herzegovina to Serbia; independence of Montenegro; inas she could below the surface, taking dependence of the Poles and all the oppressed nationalities of Austria; restoration of Alsace-Lorraine to pleasant proximity, but the Germans France, and indemnification for the damage done the occupied parts of seemed to have reached safety. The France; restoration of the Italia Irredenta to Italy; complete restoration and indemnification for Russia; the find himself without a sail in sight. same for Belgium; and guarantees near him as ever. Again taking his Austrian government will make good

Italy is thus the first of the entente once more on the same course. Again nations to come out unqualifiedly as the destroyer made herself unpleasant did President Wilson in New York and again the U-boat was lucky. Once | Saturday night for the complete res-

Italy, frankly, has no interest in a lightship in the self-same position, peace offer at this time. But if Auswhile the same destroyer was after tria, instigated and controlled by Ger- hit Werres over the head with the him again. How long this tragic many, is sincere in the persistent incomedy continued history does not re- sinuations of peace which she has late, but when at last, after trying been putting forward, these are the his utmost, the German commander only terms to which Italy will listen. It is admitted in Italian quarters rondway. Both men deniel beating the lightship and had exhausted his here that a peace offensive against Werres after they left the roadway. flames by anti-aircraft cannon. the morale of the Italian people has

The propaganda which Italy has The lightship was being towed from feared is that which plays upon the day that Newman beat Werres to her station for overtaining and re- hardships of the Italian people to death. fitting under escort of a destroyer." make them believe that the allies have forsaken them. Steps have been taken by the United States and the andria county courthouse June 17. The business formerly conducted by allies to dispel any such impression.

> George E. Price and Company will sea bass, Jersey trout and Potomac

### Notice.

The M. Schuler Beef Company requests all their patrons and passbook customers indebted to them to come forward and settle their accounts, as their books will be closed on June 5,

M. Schuler Beef Company. 122-4t

Miss Marie Pearl Harrington and Miss Ella Anna Benoit have left for New York.

Captain John Paul, U. S. R., of Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., and Mrs. Paul are the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Frances Smoot Danenhower, at her home in King street.

The item in yesterday's issue about Francis Lee Summers, son of Alderman and Mrs. C. J. W. Summers should have read that the young man has successfully passed the entrance examination for West Point and will Mr. Summers graduated from the Alexandria High School and has since been a student at the Virginia Military Institute, Lexington.

sum of twenty-five dollars was donated to the Red Cross. The sum of C. A. war work. So the people of Alexandria can see that they have a Knight. Committee to assist at the hall, F. J. Davidson. patriotic five department. Besides giving money, the company also, has given some of their best firefighters. for the cause of humanity. They have and a star for each, on their flag: H. L. Arnold, G. F. Birrell, R. L. Finks, W. M. Glascow, Chas. W. King, J. L. Page, R. J. Ross, James Patterson, C. M. Schofield, F. N. Baker, H. E. ton drew large crowds, and the popu- Schwab, T. G. Davis, and F. B. Howlarity of this form of entertainment and. There are also two other members. Thos. J. Cockrell and W. E. be presented Tuesday evening, May 28, Bowles, who are soon to take the colors. Out of a toatl of twenty-five ac-Chapter Daughters of American Rev- tive men, this company has with deepolution will be one of the most inter- est sorrow and a good will given fifesting events of the season. The teen of its best. Standing ready to theatre" will be on the lawn at the give more, when they are called upon northwest corner of Washington and to go. So this company is working Queen streets and the players will be hard to keep its membership, which well known young ladies of the city. has been depleted for greater work, The proceeds will be applied to war ask all young men who stay behind, to

### FACE MURDER CHARGE

#### Mrs. Burgiss Held With Gamble and Newman In Werres Case.

Charles E. Gamble, Robert L. Newman and Mrs. Catherine Burgiss were swer to Austria's renewed offer of a held for the killing of John P. Werres, separate peace was the same as was Washington jitney driver, on the night of May 10, following the verdict of coroner's jury at the inquest held in the Alexandria county courthouse last night.

The jury was out only ten minutes. Gamble and Newman went on the witness stand. Each confessed that he had hit Werres with a nearbeer bottle, but denied all knowledge of the iron bar which the jury believed was used.

Mrs. Burgiss fainted in the jail about 9 o'clock and did not regain consciousness until 11:15 o'clock, and after the jury had adjourned. Dr. S. W. Gerard on Hook Mountain, near Tuesday.

The stories told by Gamble and Newman about the killing conflicted in detaials. Gamble, who was the stroyed by being hurled off the cliff first to be called to the stand, admitted that he struck the first blow with the bottle. Then Newman hit Werres, he said, and dragged him from the machine to the roadway, where he bottle at least a score of times.

Newman denied this. He said that he struck the second blow, and that he and Gamble lifted Werres to the

closely with that of Gamble. She told Meeting of Alexandria County Chapter cises. By order of commander.. Sheriff H. B. Fields in her cell Tues-

The case now goes before the grand jury, which meets at the Alex-

The Potomac Fish Company will Jersey trout, Norfolk trout, catfish, 123-1t sea bass, halibut steak, tile steak and carp. Phone 198. C. H. Zimmer- controlling committee. 123-1t man, proprietor.

### Notice.

Home on North Henry street, will be mittee of from eleven to fifteen memopened to men in uniform, also rooms bers. or Red Cross, colored. W. H. Willis, Manager.

## LEE CAMP TO OBSERVE MEMORIAL DAY WITH APPROPRIATE SERVICES TOMORROW

extended visits in Pennsylvania and Program of Exercises to Be Held at the Confederate Monument-Honorable

R. Walton Moore to be Orator of the Day-Citizens Requested to Con-

tribute Flowers.

Memorial Day will be observed tomorrow by Robert E. Lee Camp of Confederate veterans of this city with appropriate exercises. The program as here given will be carried out at the Confederate monument at 7 o'clock

Singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," by choir; "Dixie," by band; invocation, by Rev. Dr. J. W. Duffey, chaplain; singing by choir; music by band; presentation of orator; oration by Hon. R. Walton Moore; singing by choir while members of Camp decorates monument; march to mound; singing by report at that institution on June 14. choir while members of Camp decorates; music by band; firing of volley; taps.

All citizens having flowers to donate to the ladies for the purpose of occorating the Confederate monument are requested to send them as early as possible tomorrow morning to Lee Camp Hall. The committee appointed to decorate the graves of soldiers in the ceme-

At the regular meeting of the Re- teries in the city is: John R. Zimmerman, C.O. Sipple, John M. Johnson, A. liance Fire Co., Tuesday night the C. Wycoff, D. H. Appich, B. C. Hall, John Bellamy and G W. Herndon. The committee for St. Mary's cemetery is P. F. Gorman and Levi Hurdle.

five dollars was donated to the Y. M. Ivy Hill cemetery, Colonel Arthur Herbert and George Wise. Committee to assist at monument. Edgar Warfield and William P. Mc.

\$20 FOR ALL VETERANS

#### the following names on the honor roll Smoot Bill Now Before Senate Increases Pension Rate.

The blanket pension bill by Senator Smoot, guaranteeing to every civil war veteran a pension of not less than \$30 a month, was brought before the Senate yesterday by the Committee on Pensions. The committee voted to substitute the bill for the Sherwood bill, which has already passed the House. If the Senate passes the Smoot bill, the matter will go to con- mediately apply themselves to some ference, with strong probability of form of labor contributing to the having a measure of this character passed at this session. The Smoot bill amends the general pension act of May 11, 1912, by adding a new section, as follows:

"That from and after the passage of this amendment, the rate of pension for any person who served ninety days or more in the military or naval clubs. service of the United States during inafter provided, shall be \$30 a month, ings and bath houses. years, \$38 per month ;two years or over, \$40 per month. Provided, that operas or theatrical performances. this amendment shall not be so construed as to reduce any pension under any act; public or private."

### WRECK GERARD'S HOUSE

#### Furnishings in Summer Home Smashed by Burglars.

Haverstraw, N. Y., May 23 .- A burglary in the summer home of James T. Ashton, jail physician, advised that | Congers, the authorities announce, is Mrs. Burgiss be allowed to remain in being investigated. The caretaker at- ficial Austrian Legal Bulletin, accord-"To his horror he found the same such as President Wilson has demand- her cell because of her critical con- tributes the burglary to German spics ing to Vienna dispatches, publishes a lightship and the same destroyer as ed, that a responsible German and dition. Her testimony was taken Mr. Gerard has offered a reward for The house was badly damaged, and

most of the furnishings were deseveral hundred feet to the rocks on order in Bohemia, where the situation the banks of the Hudson below.

### Nine Planes Downed.

Rome, May 23 .- The destruction of nine Austro-German airplanes on the Italian front is announced by the Italian war office. Eight of them were brought down by Italian and British Confederate Veterans, are notified to airmen. The ninth was shot down in

of the Red Cross. To the members of the Alexandria County, Va., Chapter of the Amer-

ican Red Cross: This is to advise you that the an-

nual meeting of this chapter will be held at the Alexandria County Court House, on Monday, June 3, 1918, at that all things, bicycle frames and p. m., for the election of the executive.committee which will control the types, etc., will be sold to the highest organization during the coming year. Boston mackerel, roe and buck shad, It is hoped that every member will if the owner, Joseph Rose, does not pay make an effort to be present and have rent due for shop and storage for in mind some competent member as : items, etc., named above, at 813 Duke andidate for a place upon this all street.

The number to compose the com- 116-e-od-tf mittee is to be fixed at the annual meeting, but it is probable that it will be composed of about seven members, to which number is added the officers Notice is hereby given that the Elks' of the chapter. This will make a com-

> Frank Lyon, Chairman. 5 p. m.

#### WORK OR JOIN THE ARMY! 'dlers and Attaches in Non-Essential Occupations Must Get Into Useful

Work or Fight. Go to work or fight!

That is the dictum of the government as announced today by Provost Marshal General Crowder in an amendment to the selective service regulations dealing with the question compelling registered men not engaged in a useful occupation to imgeneral good.

The new regulation, which becomes offective July 1, will also affect the following classes:

Persons engaged in the serving of food and drink, or either, in public places, including hotels and social

Passenger elevator operators and the civil war, now on the roll, or here- attendants, doormen, footmen, and after to be placed on the roll and en- other attendants of clubs, hotels, titled to receive a less rate than here- stores, apartment houses, office build-

In case such person has reached the Persons, including ushers and other age of 75 years and served 6 months, attendants, engaged and occupied in, the rate shall be \$32 per month; one and in connection with games, sports year, \$35 per month one and one-half and amusements, excepting actual performers in legitimate concerts,

Persons employed in domestic serv-Sales clerks and other clerks employed in stores and other mercan-

## ATTEMPTS REFORMS

tile establishments.

#### Rights of Minorities to Be Recognized in Bohemia.

Berne, via Paris, Maly 23 .- The ofdistricts in Bohemia to be governed by captains, the rights of the minorities to be fully protected. The Austrian government hopes thus to re-establish has been turbulent for some days owing to food, peace and anti-German

### Confederate Veterans.

The members of R. E. Lee Camp, meet at their hall tomorrow-Friday afternoon-at 6:30 c'clock, in uniform to participate in our memorial exer-Edgar Warfield.

## Debt Notice.

Adjutant.

Notice is hereby given to the effect dder on the 1st of June, at 10 a. m.

Miss M. M. Madella, Proprietor.

## Fish Day Tomorrow.

Boston mackerel, sea bass, tile steak, roe and buck shad, Jersey trout, soft shell crabs, and a few snapping turtles. Phone 735, Sanitary Fish Market, Stall No. 2. Open until